

POLICEMEN MUST QUIT POLITICAL CLUBS AT ONCE

Notice Sent by Superintendent Robinson with Director Wilson's Approval

PEREMPTORY IN FORM

Order to Quit Political Clubs Puzzles Police

POLICE received orders that they must resign from all political clubs immediately. These orders are followed by a list of questions asking patrolmen to name the clubs of which they are members and whether they intend to obey the order.

Order does not say what punishment will be meted out to those who refuse to obey.

All policemen in this city must resign from their political clubs immediately. An order to this effect has been sent out by Superintendent of Police Robinson and was followed by a card bearing a list of questions asking the cops what they were going to do about it.

While the order does not say specifically that patrolmen will be dismissed for refusing to obey, it is generally believed that such punishment will be meted out to those who ignore it.

The recent vice crusade and the fact that policemen were protecting the games of politicians to whom they owed their jobs is believed to have prompted this latest move by Robinson.

The order bears the name of the Superintendent of Police and the announcement that it has been approved by Director Wilson. It is as follows:

Every member of this bureau is hereby directed to at once resign from any and all political clubs of which he may be a member.

WHAT IS A "POLITICAL CLUB?" There is some contention among the police as to what constitutes a political club. Robinson, in his order, failed to say just what kind of an organization he considered a political club. Some time ago Director Wilson said there were only one or two actual political clubs in the entire city.

In connection with this latest order, which is called No. 238, the police today received a slip bearing these questions: Do you belong to any political club? If so, give the name and location in each case.

What are your intentions now regarding membership in such clubs? Every member of the department is requested to file his answer to these questions not later than tomorrow.

POLICE RESENT ORDER. The order has caused much dissatisfaction among the police. Some contend that it is an infringement upon their personal rights. Others say they will not resign. Some have been assured by ward leaders, it is said, that they merely have to say they will resign and then do nothing more about it.

"I SAVED MY GIRL," CRIES PARK SLAYER. Continued from Page One

up, the police say, and blackmail them. Sometimes they attack the girl and beat the man with her. Usually, they know, he will not report them. He wants to save the name of the girl with him and gives up money.

Frigar told the police that his automobile was running slowly along Neill drive and they had reached Hairpin turn when the engine broke down suddenly. He got out of the machine and was fixing it. The lights of the car were dimmed.

While there in the quiet of the drive, the moonlight falling through the trees upon the car and the girl in the front seat awaiting him, Frigar was startled by a rush from the bushes at the roadside.

"Your lights are out; you're pinched!" said the leader of the men.

"He held in his hand something that looked like a club," Frigar explained to the police. "I believe now it was a beer bottle. I feared him and the gang. I knew what other girls had suffered. Miss Sykes was frightened. I wanted to get away. Anything to get away from that gang and save my girl. The leader threatened me with the club and I saw the others coming. I had a revolver and I used it."

Frigar said he shot three times directly at the head of the man he feared wanted to harm Miss Sykes. At the first shot, he said, the band dispersed, jumping over the wall and scurrying behind trees.

"I had fixed the engine," he continued, "I jumped into the car when I saw my chance and switched the clutch into high. We were away and safe. I had saved my girl. If that is murder, I came here to give myself up."

Frigar is 33 years old. He is tall and strong and colored from exposure in the Mexican desert lands. Miss Sykes is a brunette, the daughter of Frank Sykes, of Sykes Brothers, Inc., yarn manufacturers, Howard and Huntingdon streets. She lives now at 18 North Brighton avenue, Chelsea.

AGED BANK AID HONORED. David Ewing Celebrates 37th Year With First National and 83d Birthday

The thirty-seventh year of his service in the financial district was celebrated with the presentation of a large box of roses and lilies of the valley to David Ewing, who observed his eighty-third birthday today at the First National Bank, Chestnut street above Third. Mr. Ewing has been with the bank since it was organized in 1855 as the Merchants' National. He is an aid.

One of Mr. Ewing's earliest recollections of the district is of the time he used to carry bullion to the Submarine with E. T. Hesterbury, of Drexel & Co., who was then just beginning his career. He was born at Red Castle, Ireland, on August 24, 1822.

G. A. Baldwin, who has seen long service with the First National, presented the box of flowers to Mr. Ewing today. There were several speeches. Mr. Ewing lives at 2535 Christian street.

Lightning Hits Delaware Station. Dover, Del., Aug. 28.—During the heavy electrical storm which visited here this morning, lightning struck and killed a man at the Delaware station at Hartley, Delaware. Less about

City News in Brief

A bride of three weeks came to detective headquarters from Bridgeport, Pa., today with a suitcase full of clothes and jewelry, said to have been stolen by her husband, Charles M. Molligan, arrested Friday, accused of attempting to rob the home of Mrs. Ida Ogden, at 1133 Lehigh avenue. The stolen property was returned to Warden "Bob" McKenty, was the first knowledge she had of the double life being led by her husband, who was held for a further hearing this morning by Magistrate Beaton for robbing the homes of Harry C. and William Beury, coal operators, near Sixteenth street and Allegheny avenue.

Bernard Watson, three years old, of 2323 South Woodstock street, is in the Methodist Hospital, suffering from severe burns received when he fell into a tub of scalding water at his home shortly after noon today.

Mice chewing on matches are believed to have caused the fire in the store at 214 North Seventh street, early today. The blaze was extinguished after causing damage amounting to nearly \$500.

Attendance at the 35 free bath houses of the city last week was 220,927 as compared with 155,370 the preceding week. The former was for 14 days, boys, 128,728; women, 97,578; girls, 19,433.

The United States ship Franklin, a steam-screw frigate, built more than half a century ago, is to be sold to the Philadelphia, for \$17,000 and will be destroyed for the copper, iron and other metal in the hull. The vessel was built in New Hampshire in 1854, according to Federal records, at a cost of some \$500,000. The Franklin sailed for a cruise in Europe in 1860 and was flagship of the European squadron from 1871 to 1874. The following year the Franklin became a merchant steamer at Norfolk, where it has been ever since.

Falling among five rotary saws used to cut huge ice cakes into commercial size, Christian Emenick, 24 years old, of 2003 North American street, was literally cut to pieces at the plant of the American Ice Company, North American and Cambria streets.

A crop of well-grown corn, almost ready for harvesting, is growing on a block of ground on the south side of Spruce street, between Forty-ninth and Fiftieth streets, which, with two adjoining blocks, is the last of the large ground holdings in Philadelphia. The ground is probably the most expensive farm land in Pennsylvania, as it has been assessed for taxation by the city for several years at \$30,000 an acre.

Announcement has been made that the twenty-first annual meeting of the State Federation of Women's Clubs will be held at the Philadelphia Hotel, October 23-25. The Philadelphia Club, of 3944 Walnut street, will act as hostess to the visiting delegates. The members of the club have the honor of inviting their homes to the visitors. Mrs. Walter G. Hancock, of the Philadelphia Club, is chairman of the hospitality committee.

Walter Scott, a negro, recently paroled from the Eastern Penitentiary, has been identified as the man who beat a servant in the home of J. S. Lowmyer, 1800 Overbrook. After an examination by detectives, Scott is said to have confessed several robberies in the Main Line section.

WIFE VISITED BROTHER, SAYS HOWARD L. DAVIS

Continued from Page One. MalCOLM SENDS HER MONEY. "How is she living?" was the question, and the answer was: "Malcolm sends her money every week."

Howard L. Davis would not divulge the source of his information. Malcolm Davis is now living in Spring Lake in one of the cottages that is an adjunct to his mother's big summer home, said his brother. He has his family with him, also his two children.

Malcolm, his brother says, is about 30 years old, about 12 or 15 years his brother's junior. Howard L. Davis was married 17 years ago, and Mrs. Howard L. Davis is "virtually as old" as her husband. Thus she is considerably older than Malcolm. They have three children. The youngest boy is with his father in New Egypt, the other two are with their mother, and, as Howard Davis understands it, are working in the Mulford plant at Glenon. They are 12 and 11 years old, respectively.

Howard Davis was asked if Malcolm's wife was in ignorance of the state of affairs, and he answered: "I guess she's heard of it now."

DOESN'T SPEAK TO MALCOLM. Howard Davis said he has never spoken to his brother Malcolm since he intercepted that telegram two years ago. He said, taking two children with her. She attempted to get the other boy thereafter, but failed, he said.

The incident of the five-day sojourn in Malcolm's Mt. Airy house took place last fall. The Spring Lake and New York meetings took place at various times before that, he said. He doesn't know how long the situation had existed before he heard of it by getting the telegram.

There is no one at home at the Malcolm Davis house today, and no representative of his could be found, so as to give his side of the matter. Malcolm Davis, who is a caretaker was at home, and she protested that she "knew nothing."

Malcolm Davis, according to his brother, has a big interest in mattress factory in Kensington, and is worth about \$100,000. Asked, then, why he was suing for \$100,000, he said Malcolm had more than that sum counting his own share.

Besides Malcolm and Howard, there are two other brothers, Irwin and Edward T. Davis, Jr. There is also an unmarried sister, who is at present in Spring Lake with her mother.

Edward T. Davis, Jr., treasurer of the Delaware Storage and Freezing Company, one of the brothers refused today to make any comment on the differences between the two brothers. "I don't want to have anything to do with it," he said.

Allegheny County Bank Closed. PITTSBURGH, Aug. 28.—Through three of its former officers having been connected with the Central Trust Company, of Pittsburgh, which closed last week, the First National Bank of Allegheny failed to open today. National Bank Examiner Miller, who is in charge, expects to make a statement as to the bank's condition later today. The Aspinwall bank has deposits of \$124,390.

Boy Killed by Electric Shock. Albert Bell, 16 years old, of Wacker and Porter streets, was killed by an electric shock today while working on a pole at the plant of the Atlantic Refining Company. The boy slipped while trying to climb down the pole and grabbed a heavily charged wire, which threw him to the ground. Dr. C. Long, who was summoned, said that death had been instantaneous. Able was employed by the Philadelphia Electric Company.

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PRESIDENT WILSON WANTS BOARD IN RAILWAY CRISIS

Continued from Page One. principle of the eight-hour day in at least an amended form.

Then the President intends asking Congress specifically to authorize the Newlands commission to act in the case. It was said, that, despite the fact that the 640 union chairmen before leaving for their homes yesterday instructed their committee of 24, left here to handle details, not to arbitrate the eight-hour day, the President is convinced that these instructions are elastic enough to permit the essentials of compensation to be passed on by the Newlands commission.

PITS PLAN UP TO LAINE. The President virtually has put the working out of a solution that will satisfy all sides up to Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the Interior. For years as a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission Lane was familiarizing himself with railroad affairs. He now is bringing his experience to bear on the various proposals of settlement and is aiding the President in his self-imposed task of preventing industrial chaos.

The committee of railway presidents and managers will not see President Wilson until 2:30 this afternoon. Their appointment to confer with him at 10 o'clock this morning was canceled at the request of the President. The latter desired further time to examine the situation and to learn, through Justice Chambers, of the conciliation board, just what instructions the complete committee of the brotherhood gave to their subcommittee before leaving Washington.

WILL SOUND EXECUTIVES. It generally was accepted that the President would tell the railroad executives that he could not accept their counter-proposal. Then he was expected to sound them on his general plan. Later he will confer with the brotherhood chiefs and try to get their views on the suggestion. If a sentiment can be created in both organizations favorable to the plan, then the President will suggest that both sides name a committee of not more than four to act with him in drawing up an agreement of just what the Newlands Commission shall pass on.

Meanwhile propositions for congressional action along other lines were deferred. No arrangements have been made for a joint session. The President will continue consultation of congressional leaders, Republicans as well as Democrats—in an effort to agree on a plan to be substituted for his latest one if the latter is finally rejected.

PLANS FOR LEGISLATION. Intervention by Congress appears to offer the only solution. Congressional leaders, who have conferred with President Wilson, say that is the conviction of the Chief Executive. All efforts he has made personally during the last two weeks apparently have failed.

It is believed by those who have been consulted that the President will ask for legislation similar to the Canadian disputes Act. That provides for investigation of all disputes by a commission. Under the existing law, mediation cannot be forced, but if a law similar to the Canadian law were written on the statute books, mediation and investigation could be forced. While acceptance of the commission's findings is not mandatory, it has been found that the force of public opinion has resulted in acceptance of the findings in nearly all instances.

It is generally agreed by Senator Newlands that the bill to increase the size of the Interstate Commerce Commission, which has passed the House, can be reached through the Senate with virtually no debate. Until the present railroad crisis arose, it had been the plan of the Senate leaders to let the measure go over until the next session of Congress.

Plans have been made not only for increasing the size of the commission, but broadening its powers. The number of commissioners is to be increased from seven to nine, and authority is to be given to divide into groups.

It is considered highly probable that the legislation to be passed will authorize the Federal Government to take over the railroads and operate them during the dispute, but it is known the President does not want to have the Government take over the roads. Under the terms of the army legislation, enacted during the present session of Congress, the President is given authority to take over the railroads and operate them in time of war. An attempt to so broaden the authority as to give him the power "when war is imminent" failed. Therefore, he has no right today to operate the roads.

ADJOURNMENT PLANS OFF. Senator Kern, Democratic floor leader, who predicted last week that Congress would adjourn Friday, said today that all adjournment plans were off, because it is virtually certain Congress will be called upon to enact legislation immediately to meet the present crisis. Senator Kern said no time would be set for the joint session of the House and Senate to hear President Wilson until after the results of the conferences today became known.

The Interstate Commerce Commission of the two houses will be in charge of preparing the legislation. After reporting it from the committees, Senator Newlands, of Nevada, will be in charge of the fight for its passage in the Senate, and Representative Adamson, of Georgia, will have charge of the measures on the floor of the House. The two men are the chairmen of the committees.

Other members of the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee are: Smith, South Carolina; Pomeroy, Ohio; Myers, Montana; Robinson, Arkansas; Saulsbury, Delaware; Thompson, Kansas; Lewis, Illinois; Gore, Oklahoma; Underwood, Alabama; Clapp, Minnesota; Cummins, Iowa; Lippitt, Rhode Island; Townsend, Michigan; La Follette, Wisconsin; Poindexter, Wisconsin.

The members of the House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee, in addition to Chairman Adamson, are: Representatives Sims, Tennessee; Cullip, Indiana; Doremus, Michigan; O'Shaunessy, Rhode Island; Stephens, Nebraska; Barkley, Kentucky; Rayburn, Texas; Montague, Virginia; Decker, Missouri; Carey, New York; Coah, Maryland; Dewalt, Pennsylvania; Beach, Wisconsin; Hamilton, Michigan; Enoch, Wisconsin; Sterling, Illinois; Winslow, Massachusetts; Parker, New York; Sutherland, West Virginia; Dillon, South Dakota.

BROTHERHOODS ANSWER REA. The brotherhood chiefs today issued a bitter rejoinder to the statement issued by Samuel Rea, president of the Pennsylvania

News at a Glance

HARRISBURG, Aug. 28.—A. F. Ferguson, of Franklin, withdrew today as a candidate for United States Senator on the Prohibition ticket. The name of Herbert T. Ames, of Williamsport, was filed as the substitute. Daniel W. Well, of Shamokin, Prohibition candidate for the Legislature, also withdrew today.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—The sinking of the British liner Leandros is reported by Lloyd's. The crew was saved. Maritime records list a Greek steamship named the Leandros, 1658 tons, but do not mention a British steamer of that name.

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READING, Pa., Aug. 28.—Miss Catherine McMenamin, 12, of Philadelphia, died at the hospital after coming to Reading to attend the funeral of a relative.

ZURICH, Aug. 28.—The Kaiser has just ordered the evacuation of the Gallian fortress at Casco.

NEW BRITAIN, Conn., Aug. 28.—Edward Wiegman, superintendent of the streets and public works, today announced that he has refused to permit arbitration by five roads that it controls and then in conclusion says:

"What was the attitude of the Pennsylvania Railroad toward its shippers in their efforts to organize two years since, and how many millions did the company spend to buy out the railroad? Is any arbitration? Is consistency a jewel?"

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD READY TO MEET STRIKE

Altoona Shops Equipped for Lodging and Boarding Men

ALTOONA, Pa., Aug. 28.—Preparations for the strike of the brotherhood men have virtually been completed by the Pennsylvania Railroad. Every available space in the big shops here has been equipped to feed and lodge the men who will be employed at Altoona and the shops men who will be needed as guards.

Truckload after truckload of groceries, dishes, stoves, beds, bedding, cots, etc., etc., have been delivered at the shops by local express companies. The shops are now stripped of such goods as the company required.

"Let them strike; we are ready with a capital B," declared Noel W. Smith, superintendent of the Middle Division. In the event of a break between the brotherhoods and railroads the Pennsylvania Railroad shops will remain open. The company's property, in compliance with a paper signed last week by more than ten thousand of them, agreeing to work for the company and protect its property. It is to accommodate these men that the officials have converted certain portions of the shops into dining rooms and sleeping quarters.

ENGLAND'S EMBARGO ON TOBACCO RESENTED

Growers Urge Protest Against Ban on American Product. Means Big Loss

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—The State Department has knowledge of concessions granted by Great Britain giving the British-American Tobacco Company virtual monopoly of export trade with France and Italy, foreign Trade Adviser Letcher said today. He made the statement to tobacco growers' representatives who had called at the Capitol to urge a formal protest against England's embargo on shipments to Austria and Germany. The embargo, which is in effect with a loss of \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000, tobacco growers in five States are panic-stricken, their representatives said.

The English concession, in conjunction with the embargo on tobacco, the growers declared, would mean the British-American Company would reduce the price paid American growers, who would have no other outlet for their crops. Charges of bad faith by England and demand for stern retaliatory measures were made by Senator Swanson, Virginia. Joel Fort, of Virginia, said that England's unexpected embargo might "show collusion on the part of that Government with the Imperial Tobacco Company or with the American Tobacco Company."

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NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Nearly 4000 raincoat makers employed in 200 New York shops will strike today, unless the owners agree to a statement declaring that Russian prisoners of war in Austria and Germany are in sad straits for want of food. The British and French prisoners, he declared, are not dependent on the meager rations allowed them by the Germans, because they are allowed to receive food shipments from France as the Russian prisoners. The food shipments, he said, are in a chronic state of hunger.

DOVER, Del., Aug. 28.—One man was killed and three others injured in a freight wreck which occurred at a siding south of Dover. The dead man is James E. Tweddie, of Wilmington, Del., engineer of the train, who died of strangulation, an airbrake pinning him to the wreckage when the locomotive was derailed.

BOSTON, Aug. 28.—Secretary Oberoutcheff, of the Swiss Central Committee for the Relief of Russian War Prisoners, today issued a statement declaring that Russian prisoners of war in Austria and Germany are in sad straits for want of food. The British and French prisoners, he declared, are not dependent on the meager rations allowed them by the Germans, because they are allowed to receive food shipments from France as the Russian prisoners. The food shipments, he said, are in a chronic state of hunger.

THE HAGUE, Aug. 28.—Great Britain which has been regarding with growing displeasure the provisioning of Germany with food from Holland, has now taken the matter to a Dutch fishing fleet, and they are now lying under arrest in the Scotch ports of Peterhead, Aberdeen, Lerwick and Kirkwall. Unless an arrangement is reached, they are apparently to be taken before the British prize court on the ground that their catches are contraband because their final destination is Germany.

ZANDAM, Holland, Aug. 28.—A salvage ship for submarines, built for the Spanish Government, has been launched here. It is a twin-hulled steamship, with powerful propellers and hoisting apparatus and repair apparatus of every sort.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—Word has been received of the safe arrival at Cape Town of three vessels laden with 140,000 worth of pictures, which will form the nucleus of a national art gallery for the Union of South Africa. The South Africa was first seized by the Dutch, the pictures are masterpieces of Dutch art of the seventeenth century.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 28.—Three hundred students of taxation, representing every State in the Union, met here today at the National Tax Conference. The sessions will cover a period of five days, and the program includes the leading authorities and students on taxation in the United States.

Elkton Marriage Licenses. ELKTON, Md., Aug. 28.—The following marriage licenses were issued in Elkton today: George J. Fritz and Bessie V. Spraggine, Peter F. Osman and Frances Hartman, Richard M. Clegg and Dorothy M. Sautter, Thomas T. Jones and Gladys M. MacCarter, William Agnew and Eva Smith, George Slater and Viola Junker, Harry McAdams and Elsie Macher and William J. Ward and Helen O'Neill. All of Philadelphia, Robert N. Boggs and Hattie G. Tucker, Albert City; Frederick D. Speakman and Laura Moore, Bristol; Walter R. Thompson and Anna L. Miller, Oakville; Edward C. Lee and Edith Muth, Trenton, N. J.; Ralph S. Baker and Pearl M. Swinburn, Pottstown; Leo L. Tranger and Laura E. Knorr, Doylestown; John A. Murphy and Matilda W. Wells, Red Lion, N. J.; Howard C. Smith and Jennie M. Williams, and Lawrence F. Williams and Annie V. Maris, Spangly, Pa.

STATE TROOPS START MOVE FROM BIG BEND TO EL PASO

Part of Third Battalion of Tenth on the March

EL PASO, Tex., Aug. 28.—Part of the Third Battalion of the Tenth Pennsylvania is reported to have reached Marfa from the Big Bend. They are the vanguard of the returning troops.

Division headquarters announced that the order for recall of the Second Battalion of the Second Regiment, Major John Handy Hall, is expected hourly. Staff officers say it will be here within 24 hours. Because of recommendation to the Southern Department the Second is to be one of the units of the new military brigade.

WOULD INVOKE FORCE TO COMBAT BLACKLIST

Amendment to Revenue Bill Authorizes Use of Army and Navy

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Senator Thomas, of Colorado, today introduced an amendment to the emergency revenue bill, authorizing the President to "employ such part of the land or naval forces" as shall be necessary to combat foreign blacklists and boycotts against American trade.

The amendment would empower the President to order the detention of any vessel discriminating against American shippers or refusing to accept a cargo for delivery to a foreign port. Authority would also be conferred on the President to withhold clearance from or group of nations discriminating against American commerce until they "shall restore to American vessels and citizens" full freedom of trade of commerce and equal facilities of trade.

Senator Thomas' proposal is an amplification of his amendment tacked to the shipping bill by the Senate authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to withhold clearance to vessels refusing to accept cargoes for foreign delivery. The proposed amendment is expected to provoke considerable discussion on account of the British representations against the shipping bill.

FACTORY FIRE ALARMS RIGS

Hundred and Fifty Young Women Easily Escape in Overbrook Carpet Plant

Fire at the plant of the Overbrook Carpet Company today was extinguished by 30 men employed there, but not until machinery and other property had been damaged to the extent of \$10,000. About 150 girls employed were in a building separate. They were dismissed for the day, but work will probably be resumed tomorrow.

The Overbrook Mills are at Fifty-sixth and Jefferson streets. The cause of the blaze is believed to have been an overheated wall in a dryer. The flame was confined to the dryer and the loss to the establishment. The loss is covered by insurance.

MORE STRINGENT LAW URGED TO PROTECT GAME IN STATE

Copies of Proposed Codification Submitted to Sportsmen

HARRISBURG, Pa., Aug. 28.—Copies of the proposed codification of the game laws of Pennsylvania were sent out today by the State Game Commission to sportsmen's associations throughout the State.

Accompanying the proposed game code, which has been published in a pamphlet of 25 pages is a letter from Dr. Joseph Kalbfus, secretary of the commission, explaining that in preparing the codification only those subjects absolutely necessary to the maintenance of game have been touched upon. Doctor Kalbfus says:

"Whether or not the suggestions presented to you shall be maintained is a question for you to decide. There have been many other and more radical changes suggested, even to the closing of the State to killing of game for a period. Many claim that the number of grouse permitted to be killed in one day is too high and that even the birds can stand the loss of the grouse in one day, is too great; that because of increased ability of sportsmen to cover ground through the use of the automobile, increased ability to kill them, for during the season and ammunition and additional expertness in the use of guns, the increase of hunters, the decrease of territory wherein men may hunt, etc., some positive action must be taken if our birds are to be perpetuated."

Doctor Kalbfus declared he believed the open season of one month is all the game birds can stand. He advised that the open season should be the month; that rabbits can stand a longer open season and that the open season for rabbits should begin on November 1 and close December 31.

The Game Commission secretary states that a conference of sportsmen will be called during December to go over the proposed code.

WHITE SOX LAST WESTERN TEAM TO VISIT SHIBE PARK

Rowland's Clan Opens Final Series Here With Athletics This Afternoon

GAME CALLED AT 3:30 P. M. The White Sox will be the last western team to appear at Shibe Park this season. The high-priced bunch of stars that Captain Rowland has collected will put on the opening act of a four-day series here at Shibe Park, Tuesday afternoon. The Sox, played in Chicago, the A's dropped eight games in four days.

An it is our daily duty to select the opposing moundmen, regardless of what the rival managers have to say about it, we will open by stating that Death Valley Jim Scott will not pitch today, tomorrow, Wednesday or Thursday. The "Death Valley" person is not ill or indisposed, as far as we can learn, but he merely is imposed upon by Manager Rowland and paid the same penalty. Scott now is sejourning with the home folks; at least that is when the White Sox left New York. It is another example of just what New York can do to wrecked ball teams.

Having eliminated one of the fixtures, it now looks as though Eddie Cloutie, Joe Work, Cloutie has not told since he was beaten by the Yanks last week, and this defeat that broke Eddie's record. He for a couple of seasons until the White Sox into him a few days ago and released him. Now Eddie is out for revenge and insists he is going to take it out on the Yanks. Connie still has one of his two best bats in shape. It is not Bush. At the pitching a good game of ball on Saturday. Pitching a good game of ball on Saturday. Pitching a good game of ball on Saturday.

DETAILS OF SKEFFINGTON'S SHOOTING ARE REVEALED

Firing Squad Member Testifies at Probe in Dublin

DUBLIN, Aug. 28.—Details of the shooting of F. Sheehy Skeffington were given today at the Government investigation of the murder of John J. Mahoney, John J. Mahoney and Thomas Dickson at the time of the Sinn Fein uprising.

Barthard McCauley, of the firing squad, testified that Captain Colburn gave the order to fire. After the first volley the three victims dropped and the members of the firing squad went into the guardroom. The order to fire was given by Lieutenant Dobbin coming across the prison yard. Dobbin had his hand over his forehead and was exclaiming, "Oh, my God."

Skeffington's will was admitted for probate today. He left an estate of \$750.

Dies as She Leaves Hospital

As she was bidding her son good-bye at St. Agnes's Hospital yesterday, Mrs. Rose Wickham fell unconscious across her bed and died of shock and grief a few hours later. As a result of his mother's death, her son, who had four fingers of his right hand amputated recently, suffered a relapse and is in a serious condition. Mrs. Wickham died at 2309 Lombard street.

Burned to Death in Hotel Fire

MALONE, N. Y., Aug. 28.—Mrs. E. G. Gokey, wife of the proprietor of the New Windsor Hotel, at Santa Clara, was burned to death and her husband probably fatally injured when fire destroyed the building today. The guests escaped in their night clothes.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION DEATHS

BARTON.—On August 28, 1916, ARTHUR W. BARTON, of 214 N. 4th st., aged 60 years, Relative and friends, also 61, Alanae Loda No. 228, E. and A. M., and died of heart failure on Wednesday, at 2 p. m., at the home of his wife, Mrs. Barton, 214 N. 4th st. Burial private.

DEATH.—On August 26, 1916, at Atlantic City, N. J., SARAH RAINIER EBBON, of 1140 Green st., widow of Henry L. Ebbon, died of heart failure on Tuesday, at 2 p. m., at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. M. Ebbon, at 1140 Green st. Burial private.

DEATH.—On August 26, 1916, at Berwyn, Pa., MARY E. NEWCOMB, aged 78 years.

Advertisement for Beckers' clothing, featuring a circular logo with 'THE SHOPS INDIVIDUAL THINGS THAT MEN WEAR' and 'Only 2 Days' text.

Advertisement for Beckers' clothing, listing various items and prices: SHIRTS, PAJAMAS, Bathing Suits, CLOTHING, UNDERWEAR, STRAW HATS, and BECKERS' AT THESE ADDRESSES ONLY.